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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

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Signed February 9, 2018


United States Bankruptcy Judge

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION

In re:	§	Chapter 11
	§	
WILLIAMS FINANCIAL	§	Case No. 17-33578-HDH
GROUP, INC., <i>et al.</i> ¹	§	
	§	(Jointly Administered)
Debtors.	§	

**ORDER DENYING ARBITRATION CREDITORS' MOTION FOR RELIEF
FROM THE AUTOMATIC STAY AND TO COMPEL ARBITRATION**

Upon the Motion (the "Motion")² of Arbitration Creditors³, for entry of an order granting relief from the automatic stay and to compel arbitration; and the Court having considered the

¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Williams Financial Group, Inc. (8972); WFG Management Services, Inc. (7450); WFG Investments, Inc. (7860) and WFG Advisors, LP (9863). The address for all the Debtors is 2711 N. Haskell Ave., Suite 2900, Dallas, TX 75204.

² Defined terms from the Motion are incorporated by reference herein.

³ The Arbitration Creditors are: Lewis B. Abronski, Individually and as Trustee of the Third Amended and Restated Revocable Living Trust Agreement Dated 9/18/14, Sharon L. Agapos, Individually and as Trustee of the Agapos Living Trust, Gregory A. Ames, Darin R. Arnold, Donald C. Barnes, Judith B. Barnes, Anthony R. Beard, Jennifer W. Bender, Thomas W. Bender, III, Angela K. Beverly, Richard E. Beverly, Dolphus Broxton, Anthony J. Caminiti, Livingston M. Coate, Rebecca A. Coate, Michael S. Coleman, Robin R. Coleman, Randy Couture, Patrick V. Daily,

Motion for Relief from Stay and to Compel Arbitration (ECF Nos. 239; 254) and the Court having considered the Debtors' response to the Motion for Relief from Stay and to Compel Arbitration (ECF No. 279), based upon the findings and conclusions made on the record at the hearing, it is hereby ORDERED that:

1. The Motion is DENIED without prejudice.
2. The Arbitration Claimants may file a motion seeking relief from stay after a period of sixty (60) days from the date of this Order.
3. The parties shall confer regarding consolidation of the arbitrations.
4. The Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the interpretation or implementation of this Order.
5. All relief not expressly granted in this Order is denied.

END OF ORDER

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